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Churchill, John Cargill, James Bradby, and Nathaniel and Benjamin Harrison, executors.

For genealogies of the Harrison family, see Keith's *Ancestry of Benjamin Harrison*, and the *Richmond Critic*.

WILL OF JOSIAS MACKIE,

PRESBYTERIAN MINISTER, NORFOLK AND PRINCESS ANNE COUNTIES, 1716.

[Communicated and annotated by EDWARD W. JAMES.]

In the Name of God, amen, the 7th Day of November, anno Dom. 1716. I, Josias Mackie, of Norfolk County, Minister, being Sick & weak in body, butt of good and perfect memory, thanks be to allmighty god, & Calling to remembrance the uncertainty of this Life, Doe make, Constitute and Declare this my Last will & Testament in manner and forme following, revoking and annulling by These presents all & Every will and wills heretofore by me made, & this onely to be Taken for my Last will and Testament; and first, being hartily Sorry for my Sins past, most humbly Desireing forgiveness of the Same, I Commit my Soul to almighty god, trusting to receive full pardon and free Justification through the merritts of Jesus Christ, and my body to be buried in Decent and Christian manner at the Discretion of my Executr hereafter named; and as to the Settling of Such Temporall Estate as it has pleased god to bestow on me, I Doe Order, give, Dispose the Same in manner & forme following:

Impr. I Give and bequeath unto Elisabeth Wishard and John Wishard, Sonn & Daughter of James and Mary Wishard, tenn pounds in money, to be Equally Devided between them, to be Delivered to them Immediately after my Decease.

Item. I Give and bequeath unto William and Mary Johnson,[1] Children of Jacob Johnson, Deceased, and Margaritt, Ten pounds in money, to be Equally Devided between them when they Come of age or married.

Item. I Give and bequeath unto those four persons above named (viz.) Elisabeth & John Wishard, William and Mary Johnson, all my new goods, both woolling & Lining (Except what I shall here after Except), to be Equally Devided between them, the Said Wishard to have there part Immediately after my Decease, and the Said Johnson when they Come of age or married.

Item. I Give and bequeath unto the Severall Children now liveing of my three Sisters, Mary, Margarett & Rebecca, Daughters of Mr. Patrick Mackie, Some time of St. Johnstone, in the county of Donigall, of the Kingdom of Ireland, all the remaining part of my money which is in Ready Cash in Virginia, to be Equally Divided between them, which I Desire may be transmitted home by my Execrs hereafter named, in bills of Exchange upon my Cost & Charges, by them Direct to Such person or persons, as they think Best, in the City of London, and from thence to Mr. John Harvey, of London, Derry Mercht., and by him transmited to the Children of the persons above named; Alsoe I give to the Severall Children of the said Mary, Margaret & Rebecca, fourteen pounds, ffour Shillings & Eight pence Sterling, Due from mr. William Squire & Petter Hall, Merchants in Liver Poole; alsoe all the money Due to me by a just account from mr. William Bowden, merchant in London; all which Sums I give to the Said Children of my aforesaid Sisters that Shall now be Liveing, to be Equally Devided between them, he farely promiseing & has promised to Sattisfie me & all other Credittors to the full.

Item. I Give and bequeath to John Sherly, Senr., one hundred and fifty acres of Land Lying & being in princess Ann County near the back Bay, being the Remainder of a tract of Land Purchased of Capt. ffrancis Morse), to him & his heirs for Ever.

It. I Give my More Schoolastick Books of the Learned Languages as Lattin; Greek and Hebrew to be Equally Divided Between Mr. Henry, mr. Hampton & mr. Mackness, non-conforming ministers at Poatomoake or thereabouts.

It. I will and ordaine that my Exers well and truely observe the paper of Directions by me Left under my owne hand, Relateing to the Disposall of the remainder of my Books not before

Disposed of, as alsoe Concerning Lessor Legacys and Debts, and that it be Duely performed.

I. I give & bequeath unto John Sharley, Sen., all Such Sums as he at ye time of my Death Stands to me Indebted by bill & acct., & that he Be hereby Discharged from ye same.

Item. I Give and bequeath unto Capt. Horatio Woodhouse, two mares out of my Stock at the Sea Side.

Item. I give and bequeath unto Thomas Butt & Elizabeth Butt, Children of Mr. Rich'd Butt, two mares, She to have the Choice of all I have.

Item. I give and bequeath to Mary Cocke, Daughter of Christopher Cocke, one young mare.

Item. I Give and bequeath unto Henry Butt, Son of Mr. Richard Butt, one young mare.

Item. I Give and bequeath unto Thomas Butt, Son of Thomas Butt, Dec'd, two young mares, & alsoe my Riding horse, Bridle & Sadle, alsoe one Silk Damask vest.

Item. My will & Desire is and it is my true interest and meaning of this my will y^t^ that if there should not be mares or horses Eno. of the bread of that mare I had from Mr. Lewis Conner to Comply with the aforegoing Divers Legacys, that in that Case my Execr Dispose of them to the Severall Legatees as farr as they will goe, & that the other Legacys be void.

It. I Give and bequeath unto mr. Richard Butt, Sen., my Greate Riding Coate with Twenty yards of Brown Lining that is in the Chest of Goods.

It. I Give and bequeath unto Mrs. Martha Thruston, a piece of black flowerd Damask, being the Same She fformerly gave me.

It. My Will & Desire is that if any Debt or Debts Should justly appear To be Due and oweing to any person whatsoever, that they be Sattisfied by My Execrs, hereafter named, out of what Tobaco or money, which mr. Richard Butt is requested to Direct & assist them in, and for his trouble of my English good Books; and that if any person Shall, after my Decease, make any Just Claim to any Book or Books, my will & Desire is that They have them Delivered to Them by my Execrs or whom they shall order, And I Doe ffurther Request & Order & appoint, my friends Cor^ll^ Edward Moseley and Mrs. Martha Thrus-

ton, to be my Execrs in trust, to see this my Last will and Testament well & Truely performed, According to the Intent, purport & true meaning thereof.

In Witness whereof, I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal the day & year first above written.

JOSIAS MACKIE, & Seal.

Signed, Sealed & Delivered
In the presence of Uss:

Signum.
Sarah S. Butt,
Natha[ll] Butt,
Thos. Butt,
Thos. Butt, Junr.

Proved by the oaths of:

Thomas Butt, Sen[r], &
Thos. Butt, Junr., in open Court, this 16th Day of Novr., 1716, & ordered to be Committed to Record.

Test: Thos. Butt, Cl. Cur.

NOTES.

[1] William and Mary Johnson were the children of Jacob Johnson, Jr., son of Jacob Johnson the elder, who was born about the year 1639, probably in Holland, patented land in Virginia in 1673, was naturalized in 1679, and was a member of the House of Burgesses in 1692, and died in 1710. His first wife was Mary Ashall, daughter of George Ashall who died about 1673, his second wife was a Mrs. Kempe. He had a Presbyterian church (see certificate printed below) on his land, and the minister lived with him as the following will show: "I give and bequeath to Mr. Josiah Mackie my best bed I have in the house & furniture thereunto belonging as it stands, being ye same y[t] he now lyeth in & two Leather chairs, one plank chair & (notwithstanding what is before given), my will is & it is my will that he have ye labor & service of my negro woman Maria during his life, also ye room where he now resides with full & free egress & regress to ye same & pasturage for his horse as long as he sees fit to make use of it." He appears in the records as a brick burner, brick layer and house plasterer, and he also practiced law. Jacob Johnson, Jr., his son by his first wife, married Margaret Langley, daughter of Captain William Langley, of Norfolk county, and Mary, their daughter, during or before the year 1722, married

James Nimmo, and another daughter, Jacomine, married John Hunter.

"These are to certifie his Maj^{ties} Justices of the peace for Princess Anne county that instead of a house at Henry Holmes, last yeare nominated but never made use of, there is a house appointed as a place of meeting for Religious Worship upon the Land belonging to Mr Jacob Johnson at Wolves neck in Little Creek precincts, and likewise another place appointed for same use & purpose of Religious Worship upon the land belonging to Mr. Thomas Scott in Eastern branch, which therefore I the subscriber desire may be Recorded as given under my hand this 9th May, 1700. J. Mackie Pr'sented and publiquely read in open Court held 9th May 1700, and ordered to be Recorded.

"Test: PA. ANGUS, Cl. Cur."

[2] Appraisement of Rev. Mr. Josias Mackie, made June 2nd, 1718, by Jno. Kemp, George Kemp and Amos Moseley:

	L.	S.	D.
A cloak & a morning gown, both old, . .		12	
2 old vests & a p^{r} new breeches, . . .		16	
1 new double brest^{d} cloath coat lin'd, . . .	2		
1 old clo. coat 5s: 1 old loon Silk morning gown 10s, ...		15	
1 old loon great coat 4s: one new caster hat 8s.,		12	
2 old hats 7 | 6: one old D^{o} 1s., ...		8	6
1 p^{r} old britches 2 | 6: 5½ y^{ds} ozenbriggs at 10 p. y^{d},		7	1
5 yds. cull^{d} fustion at 12d. p. y^{d}, 3½ y^{ds} course & white D^{o} 12d. p., ...		8	6
4 y^{ds} Scotch cloath 20d. p: 3¾ yds. garlix at 2s.,		14	2
Two Silk neck cloths at 2 p., ...		4	
3 old raizers, 1 old knife & an inkhorn, . .		2	
One p^{r} Stript linin britches not made up, . .		3	6
2 p^{r} ordinary Shews 2s: a p^{r} old Sheets course, .		7	6
Course 7 | 6, ...		15	
2 shirts & 2 white handkerchiefs.			
2 old muslin neckcloths 12d. p., ...		2	
4 caps, 1 cotton handkerchief, 1 pillo bear.			
1 p^{r} flan^{l} britches, 1 dimity waste, an old wallet, 1 bunch cul^{d} tape, ...		5	

10 Twists white thread 1s: a p'cell old dear skins,		4	
A parcell of old sorry cloaths worth little, . .		2	6
A Silver Tooth picker, 15d.; 13 l. Sug^{r} in a gord at 5d. p., ...		6	8
2¼ Small Shot, 3d.; an old Sorry chest wth old Trifles, ...		3	¾
	9	10	5¾

Goods unto Wm. & mary Johnson, children of Jacob J^{on}son, jun^{r}, dec^{d}, & margret his wife:

5½ y^{ds} course bed Tick at 12d. p., ...		5	6
3¾ y^{ds} finer D^{o} at 12d.; 9 y^{ds} brow linin, 12d. p.,		12	9
7¼ y^{ds} of dowlas or Lancast^{r} linin, 18d. p., .		10	8½
16¼ y^{ds} Dowlas at 18d. p.; 1¼ y^{ds} course, .	1	5	4½
7¼ y^{ds} course Sheeting linin 12d. p., . .		7	3
1¾ y^{ds} holl^{d} at 3 | 6 p.; 6 y^{ds} printed linin 12d. p.,		10	4
½ y^{d} muslin 3s.; 1½ y^{d} plain kenting @ 2 p., .		6	
4¾ y^{ds} Scotch cloth @ 20d. p., . . .		7	11
2 y^{ds} shift fustion at 2s. p.; 2 y^{ds} plain D^{o} at 2s. p.,		8	
2¼ y^{ds} bro^{d} cloath moath eaten, at, . . .		9	
3 y^{ds} D^{o} @ 10s. p.; 4¾ y^{ds} flanell at 2 | 6 p., .	2	1	10½
3 y^{ds} black mill'd sherge at 3s. p., . . .		9	
4¾ yards black shaloone 12d. p., . . .		4	9
4 y^{ds} cours stuff at 10d. p.; 2½ y^{ds} bro^{d} clo. at 10 p.,		12	4
2¾ y^{ds} Kersey 2 | 6 & 2¼ y^{ds} mill'd Drug^{t} 2s., .		4	6
6 hanks mohair at 4d., ...		2	
Cull^{d} thread & thread buttons, ...		2	
A p'cell of ffine white thread, ...		1	3
	9	0	6